

## **Press Release**

### **Appointments to committees of FSDC**

Thursday, April 2, 2015

The Government announced today (April 2) appointments to committees of the Financial Services Development Council (FSDC). The Chief Executive has appointed 34 members to serve on the five committees under the FSDC. All appointments will be effective from April 5, 2015, to January 16, 2017, both dates inclusive.

Among the 34 committee members, 21 are re-appointed while 13 are new members. The new members are Mr Dean Chisholm, Ms Ding Chen, Mr Dennis Ho Chiu-ping, Mr Christoph Hoch, Mr Gary Hwa, Ms Lau Ka-shi, Mr Brian Li Man-bun, Mr Mark Saunders, Ms Wang Hsueh-ming, Dr Wang Tao, Ms Winnie Wong Chi-shun, Mr Nick Young and Mr Derek Yung Kai-ming.

The Secretary for Financial Services and the Treasury, Professor K C Chan, said, "Under the guidance of the Council Chairman, Mrs Laura M Cha, the FSDC has conducted research on a wide range of topics and prepared many useful reports on the development of the financial services sector in Hong Kong over the past year.

"The Council has a rich agenda of projects in the year ahead. I am confident that the FSDC will continue to achieve its mission and objectives to advance the development of Hong Kong as an international financial centre."

Professor Chan also expressed gratitude to the 13 retiring committee members, namely Mr Christopher Chan Shiu-lun, Mr Clement Chan Kam-wing, Ms Lena Chan, Mr Vincent Duhamel, Mr Brett Graham, Mr Huang Haizhou, Dr Bill Kwok Chi-piu, Mr Ivan Kwok Chun-pong, Mr Larry Kwok Lam-kwong, Dr Lee George Lam, Mr Allen Lo Chun-lun, Mr John C Wilkinson and Professor Wong Siu-fun for their contribution to the work of the FSDC over the past two years.

The FSDC was established in 2013 as a high-level, cross-sectoral advisory body to engage the industry in formulating proposals to promote the further development of Hong Kong's financial services industry and to map out the strategic direction for development. Five committees have been formed to

study specific areas of the financial services industry in depth and make proposals on development initiatives.

Following is the membership list of the FSDC committees with effect from April 5, 2015:

#### Policy Research Committee

Convenor

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Mr Laurence Li Lu-jen

Members (11)

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Professor Douglas W Arner

Ms Bonnie Y Chan

Professor David C Donald

Mr Christoph Hoch

Mr George Hongchoy

Mr Gary Hwa

Mrs Ayesha Macpherson Lau

Mr Vincent Marshall Lee Kwan-ho

Mr Mark G Shipman

Mr Graham Turl

Mr Derek Yung Kai-ming

Ex-officio member

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Under Secretary for Financial Services and the Treasury, Mr James Henry Lau Jr

#### Mainland Opportunities Committee

Convenor

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Mr Qin Xiao

Members (11)

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Mr Chen Shuang  
Mr Brian Fung  
Mr He Di  
Mr George Leung Siu-kay  
Mr Anton Liu Tingan  
Mrs Bethy Tam Ho Kum-man  
Mr Tse Yung-hoi  
Ms Wang Hsueh-ming  
Dr Wang Tao  
Mr Harold T Wong  
Mr Nick Young

New Business Committee

Convenor

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Mrs Florence Yip

Members (11)

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Dato' Cheah Cheng-hye  
Mr Dean Chisholm  
Mr Mark Dickens  
Ms Ding Chen  
Mr Tim Freshwater  
Ms Lau Ka-shi  
Mr Christophe Lee Kin-ping  
Mr John Levack  
Mr Mark Saunders  
Ms Winnie Wong Chi-shun  
Mr Allan Yu Kin-nam

Market Development Committee

Convenor

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Mr Benjamin Hung

Members (7)

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Dr Au King-lun

Mr Clifford King Chiu

Ms Margaret Fong

Mr Brian Li Man-bun

Mr Peter Lo

Mr Angus Pang Ying-kit

Mr Wong Yuen-shan

Ex-officio member

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Director-General of Investment Promotion, Mr Simon Galpin

Human Capital Committee

Convenor

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Mr Joe Ngai

Members (7)

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Ms Alice Au Miu-hing

Mr E Michael Fung

Mr Dennis Ho Chiu-ping

Ms Jeanne Lee

Mr Leong Ka-chai

Mr Pong Po-lam

Mr Zhang Lei

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